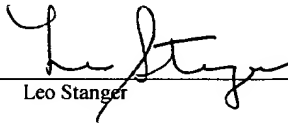




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Serial No. : **09/314,424**
Filed : **May 18, 1999**
For : **Voucherless Rebate System**
Art Unit : **3622**
Examiner : **Jean D. Janvier, Tel 703-308-6287, Fax 703-746-7238**

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COVER SHEET FOR SMALL ENTITY & EXTENSION REQUEST

Sir:

In response to the December 14, 2004 Office Action, transmitted is an RCE and amendment.

STATUS OF CLAIMS					
	AFTER AMEND	HIGHEST PAID FOR	NO. EXTRA	RATE	NET
Total	46	20	26	x \$9 =	\$ 234.00
Independ	5	3	2	x \$43 =	\$ 86.00
Multiple Dep. Claims, if any					\$ 00.00
Total Due					\$ 320.00

It is respectfully requested that the time for responding to the December 14, 2004 Office Action be extended one month to April 14, 2005. A check is enclosed. Please charge any additional amounts due, or credit any excess payments, to Deposit Account No. 194124.

Respectfully submitted,



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